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PATENT APPLICATION

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Applicant: Christopher G. Williams et al.:		Atty Docket No.: 14977-0139
Serial No. 10/681,753	:	Confirmation No.: 8131
Filed: October 9, 2003	:	Group Art Unit: 1657
For: Multi-Layered Polymerizing Hydrogels for Tissue Regeneration	:	Examiner: Laura J. Schuberg

Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE AFTER FINAL

Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action dated as mailed on November 24, 2009, and having a period of response extending through and including February 24, 2010. A one-month extension is requested and the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees to Deposit Account No. 02-3223.

Please make consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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